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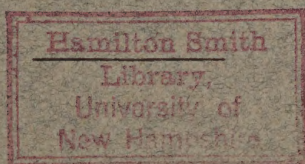
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Moderator

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE

Town Clerk

DAVID A. GRANT

Selectmen

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE HERVEY H. HOBBS
GEORGE A. PUSHEE

Treasurer

DAVID A. GRANT

Overseer of the Poor

GEORGE A. PUSHEE

School Board

MARY A. CHASE ELMER F. MORRILL
EMMA S. ALDRICH

Tax Collector

ELMER F. MORRILL

Road Agent

MILTON L. WING

Trustees of the Trust Funds

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE GEORGE A. PUSHEE
HERVEY H. HOBBS

Auditors

ARAD J. WARREN D. W. SMALL

Supervisors

ARAD J. WARREN EZRA B. ALDEN
ARTHUR E. DERBY

Library Trustees

ROLAND M. MORRISON AUBURN L. SIMMONS
MRS. F. E. WEST MRS. C. C. FAIRFIELD
Rev. GEORGE M. WOODWELL ARTHUR E. DERBY
GEORGE W. WEYMOUTH MRS. L. A. ALDEN
HENRY S. PUSHEE

Constable

HERBERT W. DIKE

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lyme, in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Church Hall in said Lyme on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of town officers as printed.

4. To see what order the town will adopt in relation to the savings bank tax the ensuing year.

5. To raise such sums of money as may be thought necessary for making and repairing highways and bridges the ensuing year.

6. To raise such sums of money as may be thought necessary for the support of the town Library the ensuing year.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 for improvements in and care of the cemeteries the ensuing year.

8. To see if the town will vote to allow bank discount on all taxes paid before November 1st, 1923.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 for the Mary Hitchcock Hospital.

10. To see what compensation the town will allow its various officers the ensuing year.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$400 for the prevention of the spread of the white pine blister rust.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the purpose of observing Old Home Day.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the purpose of purchasing a fire engine.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise \$470, the amount necessary to secure State Aid for permanent roads; if the town will raise \$470 the State will appropriate \$564.40.

15. To see if the town will vote to raise \$1150 for maintenance of State Aid roads; if the town will raise \$1150 the State will appropriate \$1150.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise \$1877 for trunk line maintenance; if the town will raise \$1877 the State will appropriate \$3755.

17. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the purpose of lighting the streets in Lyme Village.

18. To bring in your ballots upon the question as to whether the amendment proposed by the Convention to revise the Constitution shall be approved.

19. To see what action the town will take in relation to purchasing snow rollers.

Given under our hands and seal, this 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE,
HERVEY H. HOBBS,
GEORGE A. PUSHEE,
Selectmen of Lyme.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

SIDNEY A. CONVERSE,
HERVEY H. HOBBS,
GEORGE A. PUSHEE,
Selectmen of Lyme.

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF LYME

Lands and buildings	\$791,680.00
Horses, 324	35,140.00
Asses and Mules, 1	50.00
Oxen, 10	985.00
Cows, 1,012	47,330.00
Other Neat Stock, 351	11,675.00
Sheep, 148	690.00
Hogs, 32	455.00
Fowls, 2508	3,643.00
Portable Mills, 9	1600.00
Wood, lumber, etc.	3,570.00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit	16,125.00
Stock in trade	35,260.00
Aqueducts	700.00
Mills and Machinery	3,900.00
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Amount of taxable property	\$952,803.00
Polls: 16 at \$3	
" 475 at \$5 Total \$2,423	
Total, exclusive of Soldiers' Exemptions	\$941,803.00

BUDGET FOR 1923

<i>Appropriation 1922</i>	<i>Estimated 1923</i>
General government.	General government, \$1500
Savings bank tax.	in addition to the savings
Highways and bridges,	bank tax.
\$3500.	Highways and bridges,
Town library, \$250.	\$4000.
Town cemeteries, \$600.	Town library, \$250.
State Aid Maintenance,	Town cemeteries, \$200.
\$1500.	State Aid Maintenance,
Trunk line Maintenance,	\$1150.
\$465.	State Aid Construction,
State Aid Construction,	\$470.
\$471.	Trunk line Maintenance,
G. A. R., \$15.	\$1877.

If the town appropriates the above amounts for State Aid roads the State will appropriate

State Aid road maintenance	\$1150.00
State Aid construction	564.40
Trunk line maintenance	3,755.00

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$3,277.32	\$3,277.32
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Accounts Due the Town

Due from the State:

For Bounties	10.60	10.60
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Bills Due the Town

For hay sold	10.00	10.00
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Taxes purchased by the Town:

Levy of 1914	12.34	
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Levy of 1919	11.06	
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Levy of 1920	58.11	
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Levy of 1921	123.31	
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Levy of 1922	870.04	1074.86
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\$4,372.78

Liabilities

Accounts owed by the Town

Bills outstanding	\$ 200.00
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Due School District

Dog Licenses	\$ 231.28
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School money	3,696.78
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\$4,128.06

Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	244.72
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\$4,372.78

Schedule of Town Property

Town Library

Furnishings	\$ 311.00
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Equipment including books	3,000.00
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Fund	350.00
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Cash	34.76
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\$3,695.76

Highway Department

Road tools	500.00
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Other Property

Herbert H. Barnes, free bed	5,000.00
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Total	\$9,195.76
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RECEIPTS

Current Revenue. From local taxes:

Property taxes committed to collector,

1922 \$20,739.54

Less discounts and abatements, 1922 312.10

Property tax actually collected \$20,427.44

Poll taxes collected, 16 at \$3 \$ 48.00

Poll taxes collected, 456 at \$5 2,280.00

2,328.00

Tax sales redeemed 151.04

From State for Highways

State aid maintenance \$2,235.50

State aid construction 300.00

Trunk line maintenance 1,878.25

4,413.75

Insurance tax \$ 17.25

Railroad tax 53.66

Savings Bank tax 1,068.15

Forest fires 4.00

Bounties 109.40

1,252.46

From County

For support of poor 96.84

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expense—General Government

1.	Town officers' salaries	\$ 837.60	
2.	Town officers' expense	264.04	
3.	Election expenses	145.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,247.14
4.	<i>Protection of Persons and Property</i>		
	Police Dept. and care of tramps	\$ 23.00	
	Bounties	120.00	
		<hr/>	143.00
5.	<i>Health</i>		
	Health Dept. including hospitals	\$ 200.00	
	Vital statistics	7.25	
		<hr/>	207.25
	<i>Highways and Bridges</i>		
6.	State aid maintenance	\$5,209.20	
7.	Trunk line maintenance	2,940.65	
8.	Town maintenance	4,046.99	
9.	Water troughs	16.00	
		<hr/>	12,212.84
	<i>Libraries</i>		
10.	Town Library appropriation		250.00
11.	<i>Charities</i>		
	Town Poor	\$ 59.44	
	County Poor	24.08	
		<hr/>	83.52

RECEIPTS, Continued

From Local Sources Except Taxes

Dog licenses	\$ 231.28	
Fines	5.54	
Interest received on taxes	25.81	
Permits for the registration of motor vehicles	738.20	
Gay A. Roberts, lumber	41.85	
	<hr/>	1,042.68

Receipts Other than Current Revenue

Temporary loans	4,000.00
Gifts	1,000.00
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1922	3,012.83
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Grand total	\$37,725.04

PAYMENTS, Continued

12.	Parks and play grounds	8.65
	<i>Public Service Enterprises</i>	
13.	Cemeteries	1,189.35
14.	<i>Unclassified</i>	
	Taxes bought by Town	\$ 870.04
	Danger posts and expense	78.28
	Repairs on lockup	2.98
		<hr/> 951.30
15.	Interest	100.00
	<i>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements</i>	
	<i>Highways and Bridges</i>	
16.	State Aid construction	2,149.54
	<i>New Equipment</i>	
17.	Road Tractor	1,450.00
	<i>Indebtedness</i>	
19.	Payment on temporary loans	4,000.00
	<i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions</i>	
19.	Taxes paid to State	\$ 3,687.00
	Taxes paid to County	1,898.38
	Payments to School District	4,869.75
		<hr/> 10,455.13
	Total payments for all purposes	<hr/> \$34,447.72
	Cash on hand January 31, 1923	3,277.32
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	Grand Total	\$37,725.04

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail One—Salaries

Sidney A. Converse, Selectman	\$ 115.00	
Hervey H. Hobbs, Selectman	95.50	
George A. Pushee, Selectman	145.00	
David A. Grant, Town Clerk	59.39	
David A. Grant, Town Treasurer	75.00	
Ezra B. Alden, Auditor	3.00	
Arad J. Warren, Auditor	3.00	
Elmer F. Morrill, Collector	341.71	
	<hr/>	\$ 837.60

Detail Two—Expenses

Sidney A. Converse, money paid	\$ 14.98	
Hervey H. Hobbs, money paid	22.50	
George A. Pushee, money paid	29.00	
David A. Grant, auto permits	27.25	
David A. Grant, Clerk's expense	15.98	
Cory Press, printing reports	124.02	
Edson C. Eastman Co., blanks	13.21	
Warren J. Shattuck, cruising	12.00	
W. J. Randolph, transfers	3.10	
Assessors' Association tax	2.00	
	<hr/>	264.04

Detail Three—Election Expense

Ezra B. Alden, Supervisor	\$ 45.00	
Arad J. Warren, Supervisor	34.50	
Sidney A. Converse, Moderator	12.00	
Edwin B. Palmer, ballot clerk	12.00	
Luther L. Whittemore, ballot clerk	6.00	
George S. Mayo, ballot clerk	6.00	
Carroll S. Wells, ballot clerk	6.00	
Fred W. Grant, ballot clerk	6.00	
Lyme Meeting House Corp., hall rent	18.00	
	<hr/>	145.50

Detail Four—Protection of Persons and Property

Herbert W. Dike, Police and care of		
tramps	\$ 23.00	
Bounties	120.00	
		143.00

Detail Five—Health Department

Mary Hitchcock Mem. Hospital	\$ 200.00	
George W. Weymouth, vital statistics	6.25	
George M. Woodwell, vital statistics	1.00	
		207.25

Detail Six—State Aid Maintenance

Guy A. Roberts, Foreman

Guy A. Roberts, Foreman	\$ 373.39
Guy A. Roberts, mileage	147.81
George Grant	197.56
E. C. Pushee	201.06
Charles Lockwood	115.14
Henry Pike	125.14
Melvin DeWitt	123.75
Leon Young	125.14
Lewis Warren	122.64
Hiram Uline	191.56
Harvey Balch	120.14
Weymouth Pike	320.67
H. H. Hobbs	953.35
H. H. Hobbs, oil	37.40
Alfred Pushee	105.14
Everett Hall	116.53
George Thompson	169.56
C. L. Pushee	46.94
Andy Moran	103.75
Clarence Gray	91.81
Gilbert Gray	85.14
G. M. Parker, supplies	2.00
J. C. Morris, supplies	14.80

F. A. Randlett, supplies	122.44	
Joe Alarie, supplies	176.56	
A. A. Turner, supplies	311.59	
Ex.	1.25	
Freight	10.61	
Henry Swift	186.98	
Herbert Webster	79.03	
F. A. Pushee	63.99	
R. Swift	70.42	
L. A. Ware, repairs	16.50	
S. A. Willigar	27.33	
Paige Belting Co., supplies	5.06	
D. W. Small, posts	12.20	
F. E. West, supplies	33.87	
Clayton Claffin	5.00	
C. D. Pike, gravel	4.60	
Sanborn Brothers, lumber	16.80	
David Laflore, gravel	15.00	
		5,049.67

Detail Six (Continued) State Aid Maintenance

S. W. Bates, Patrolman

S. W. Bates	\$ 113.00	
Zelma Bates	42.50	
D. W. Small, posts	2.40	
F. A. Randlett, supplies	1.03	
D. A. Derby, repairs	.60	
		159.53

Detail Seven—Trunk Line Maintenance

Guy A. Roberts, Foreman	\$ 106.89
Guy A. Roberts, mileage	13.20
E. C. Pushee	47.06
George Grant	61.06
Hiram Uline	26.06
George Thompson	42.00
Joe Alarie	52.50

Everett Hall	26.11	
Gilbert Gray	23.61	
Melvin DeWitt	26.11	
Lewis Warren	18.61	
Charles Lockwood	23.61	
Alfred Pushee	27.22	
Harvey Balch	23.61	
Henry Pike	32.50	
Herbert Webster	26.11	
Leon Young	23.61	
Andy Moran	28.61	
Clayton Claffin	18.61	
Hervey H. Hobbs	271.11	
Weymouth Pike	120.00	
A. A. Turner	68.79	
Town of Lyme, plank	41.85	
Am. Ex. Co.	2.00	
W. Biathrow, repairs	19.25	
Henry Swift	6.00	
R. Swift	2.50	
F. A. Pushee	18.00	
B. & M. R. R., freight	8.81	
	<hr/>	1,231.51

Detail Seven (Continued)—Trunk Line Maintenance

S. W. Bates, Patrolman

S. W. Bates	\$ 891.00
Zelma Bates	343.25
H. J. Mativia, gravel	5.80
S. W. Bates, gravel	29.60
D. A. Derby, repairs	.55
F. E. West, supplies	4.20
F. A. Randlett, supplies	10.93
W. D. Biathrow, repairs	1.65
S. W. Bates, supplies	17.42
B. & M. Railroad, freight	6.27

L. F. Wilmot	36.00	
Gabriel Elder	36.00	
Fred Hanchett	90.73	
Roy Rennie	36.00	
Edd Johnson	15.00	
Lee Cutting	15.00	
Merlyn Hanchett	78.62	
H. D. Wilmot	12.50	
Fred Warren	78.62	
	<hr/>	1,709.14

Detail Eight—Town Maintenance

Milton L. Wing, Agent	\$ 563.18
W. H. Thompson	494.69
Milton L. Wing, expense	4.65
Arthur Bryant	387.02
Clayton Bailey	147.93
Edd Jenks	192.50
F. E. West, supplies	30.20
H. C. Eastman, supplies	3.38
Allen Day	32.74
N. E. Road Ma. Co., repairs	26.50
Edd Webb	182.37
New England Tel. Co.	1.30
E. B. Palmer, supplies	131.01
Express	1.94
Harry Perkins	6.81
B. Hanson Bartlett	22.80
George Brockway	9.25
D. J. Pushee	7.00
Leo Wilmot	10.00
W. W. Day	13.62
Frank Webb	220.32
C. P. Dimick, gravel	7.60
C. S. Wells	15.56
Albert Wing	181.94

John Jewell	8.62	
A. A. Turner, supplies	57.85	
Raymond Lamott	123.20	
Fred McDonald	3.75	
Kenneth Ladeau	68.67	
James Ladeau	98.62	
F. A. Bailey	11.00	
Henry Wing	94.18	
C. A. Fowler	5.00	
Frank Dunbar	15.00	
George Dunbar	3.75	
Miller Auto Co., repairs	49.71	
Perley Ward	16.25	
S. T. Alger	21.14	
E. C. Abbott	6.88	
A. E. Derby, lumber	173.76	
O. P. Hall	7.48	
H. S. Pushee	12.00	
John Gray	11.00	
W. W. Cunningham	10.86	
John Cunningham	11.25	
John Carr	1.25	
Harley Gray	13.75	
H. A. Bailey	44.66	
Howard DeGoosh	9.16	
John Rich	8.75	
F. A. Randlett, supplies	3.80	
Waldo Neiley	6.68	
Adna Perkins, lumber	27.61	
Fred Bryant	1.00	
E. P. Dimick	6.75	
Fred Johnson	11.50	
J. R. Jacobs, supplies	14.60	
	<hr/>	3,653.79

Detail Eight (Continued)—Highway Bills P'd by Selectm'n

C. N. Goodell, 1921 and 1922 bill	\$ 18.62	
Guy A. Roberts	14.00	
Wm. J. Ackerman	10.00	
Dana A. Derby, repairs	36.97	
D. W. Small, posts	6.25	
Harvey W. Balch	12.50	
C. A. Gilbert	12.18	
E. P. Dimick, plank	173.19	
F. A. Randlett, supplies	5.60	
Barnes & Hobbs, land damage	5.00	
J. L. Jewell, land damage	4.00	
Hervey H. Hobbs	4.50	
Hervey H. Hobbs, supplies	32.07	
George A. Pushee	21.50	
Edwin P. Dimick	27.32	
Charles D. Pike	7.00	
Charles T. Harrington	2.50	
		393.20

Detail Nine—Water Troughs

Isaac N. Ellsworth	\$ 3.00	
Charles D. Pike, 2 years	4.00	
David J. Pushee	3.00	
Duane W. Small	3.00	
John F. Elliott	3.00	
		16.00

Detail Ten—Libraries

Town Library Appropriation	\$ 250.00	250.00
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Detail Eleven—Charities

George A. Pushee, services and expense as overseer	\$ 47.44	
Hervey H. Hobbs, expense	12.00	
Frank E. West, goods for Robert Dunbar	24.08	
		83.52

Detail Twelve—Parks and Playgrounds

Sidney A. Converse	\$ 7.15	
Hervey H. Hobbs	1.50	
	<hr/>	8.65

Detail Thirteen—Public Service Enterprises, Cemeteries

Herbert W. Dike, labor	\$ 114.32	
Fencing the new Cemetery	1,075.03	
	<hr/>	1,189.35

Detail Fourteen—Unclassified

Taxes bought by Town	\$ 870.04	
Danger Posts and expense	78.28	
Repairs of lockup	2.98	
	<hr/>	951.30

Detail Fifteen—Interest

Dartmouth National Bank		100.00
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Detail Sixteen—State Aid Construction

Guy A. Roberts, Foreman

Guy A. Roberts, Foreman	\$ 120.61
Guy A. Roberts, mileage	53.40
George Grant	61.44
E. C. Pushee	75.44
Hiram Uline	68.44
Charles Lockwood	39.72
Harvey Balch	39.72
Melvin DeWitt	42.22
Leon Young	34.72
Henry Pike	39.72
Lewis Warren	44.72
Alfred Pushee	39.72
Everett Hall	36.22
George Thompson	61.44
C. L. Pushee	39.72
Andy Moran	39.72
Clarence Gray	39.72

Gilbert Gray	42.22
Joe Alarie	71.94
Weymouth Pike	113.33
Hervey H. Hobbs	277.78
A. A. Turner, supplies	88.09
J. P. Morris, supplies	32.12
Herbert Webster	10.83
Henry Swift	98.00
R. Swift	10.83
S. A. Willigar	42.00
Telephone	13.10
David Laflore	225.00
Allie Clark	6.00
W. D. Biathrow, repairs	17.04
H. H. Hobbs, supplies	35.95
G. A. Perkins, lumber	1.50
D. W. Small, posts	14.00
Town of Bath	81.60
F. L. Blake, supplies	91.52
	————— \$ 2,149.54

Detail Seventeen—New Equipment

Road Tractor	1,450.00
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Detail Eighteen—Payments on Temporary Loans

Dartmouth National Bank	4,000.00
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Detail Nineteen—Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

Taxes paid to State, State Tax	\$ 2,775.00
Taxes paid to State, \$2 Poll Tax	912.00
	————— 3,687.00
Taxes paid County	1,898.38
Payments to School District	4,869.75

David A. Grant, Treasurer.
Sidney A. Converse,
Hervey H. Hobbs,
George A. Pushee,
Selectmen of Lyme.

We certify that we have examined the accounts of David A. Grant, Town Clerk and Treasurer of the Town of Lyme, the Trustees of the Public Funds, the Selectmen and Highway Agent, Treasurer of the Town Library and the Treasurer of the School District of the Town of Lyme and find them correctly cast and each item supported by its proper voucher.

Arad J. Warren,
Duane W. Small,

Town Auditors.

Lyme, N. H., February 1, 1923.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Lyme on Feb. 1, 1923 Showing the Purpose for which each Fund was Created and Disposition of Same

Date of Creation	Cemetery Trust Funds Name of Fund and Donor	Amount		How Invested	Income on		Exp. during year	Bal. of Income on hand end of year
		Principal			hand begin- ning year	year		
1908	Clarinda and Alfred Davis—Chas. A. Davis	75.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.64	3.32	3.00 .96
1903	Betsy Tinkham	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.70	2.21	1.50 1.41
1907	Nancy Dimick	25.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.20	1.12	1.00 .32
1907	Mary Warren	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	5.29	2.20	3.00 4.49
1913	Thomas Baker—Sarah W. Long	90.67		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	10.07	3.96	3.00 11.03
1913	Walter Piper	100.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	4.82	4.40	3.00 6.22
1915	Freeman J. Holt—Mrs. Roswell S. Fox	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	1.22	2.22	2.00 1.44
1915	Isaac P. Holt—Herbert H. Holt	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	1.12	2.22	2.00 1.34
1915	John N. Holt—Herbert H. Holt	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.94	2.22	2.00 1.16
1915	George Swan—Herbert H. Holt	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	2.12	2.22	2.00 2.34
1915	Alfred Kittredge Hamilton—A. K. Hamilton	100.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	10.27	4.42	3.00 11.69
1916	Alfred Kittredge Hamilton—A. K. Hamilton	100.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	10.26	4.42	3.00 11.68
1915	Elisha F. Ball & Samuel Ball—S. F. Ball	100.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	2.09	4.42	5.00 1.51
1916	Edson Blaisdell—Mrs. Edson Blaisdell	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	1.96	2.20	2.00 2.16
1917	Leroy Emery—Leroy Emery	100.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	6.10	4.40	2.00 8.50
1917	Benj. T. Washburn—Katherine Washburn	100.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.85	4.40	3.00 2.25
1918	Harris Allen—Mrs. Roswell Fox	25.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.24	1.11	1.00 .35
1918	Wm. H. Dimick	50.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.47	2.12	2.00 .59
1918	Capt. David Turner—Mrs. Julia A. Fitch	25.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	.20	1.11	1.00 .31
1918	David Turner—Frank S. Turner	75.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	2.38	3.16	3.00 2.54
1919	School Fund Note Funds	2,683.90		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	118.54	118.54	5.00 15.92
1919	Thomas Gilbert—Miss Frances Gilbert	200.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	9.08	8.84	2.00 14.80
1919	A. C. & M. C. G. Walker—S. G. & R. T. Walker	200.00		Liberty Bonds	4 1/4	10.77	9.03	5.00

Date of Creation	Cemetery Trust Funds Name of Fund and Donor	Amount Principal	How Invested	Income on hand begin- ning year	Income during year	Exp. during year	Bal. of Income on hand end of year
1920	C. M. Dustin—S. A. Willigar	100.00	Liberty Bonds	4 ¼	.17	4.58	2.00 2.75
1920	Wesley Goodell	75.00	Savings Bank	4	2.24	3.02	2.00 3.26
1920	Caleb F. Ward	75.00	Savings Bank	4	1.75	3.02	2.00 2.77
1921	Elisha F. Ball & Samuel F. Ball—Lestina Ball	100.00	Liberty Bonds	4 ¼	4.24	4.25	3.00 5.49
1922	Nathan G. Shattuck & T. M. Franklin— Harry O. Franklin	100.00	Liberty Bonds	4 ¼	.25	4.25	4.00 .50
1922	Betsey Tinkham—Cyrus N. Philbrick	50.00	Savings Bank	4	1.16	2.01	1.50 1.67
1922	Mrs. Mary Everett & Arthur Everett— Sara H. Hayden	100.00	Savings Bank	4	.66	4.03	2.00 2.69
1922	Wm. B. Piper—Harriett E. Piper	50.00	Savings Bank	4		1.68	1.68
1922	Selah Beal & wife, Ida Farwell & son— Jennie Palmer	50.00	Liberty Bonds	4 ¼			
1922	Gilman Whittemore—Clara A. Whittemore	25.00	Savings Bank	4			
		\$5,124.57					
				92.26	221.10	189.54	123.82

LIBRARY REPORT

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts

Balance at beginning of year	\$ 35.19
Town appropriation	250.00
Fines	20.78
Other sources	4.75
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Total receipts	\$ 310.72

Expenditures

Books	\$ 144.24
Periodicals	5.20
Binding	33.50
Salary of librarian	50.00
Salary of janitor	10.00
Supplies and printing	23.97
Permanent improvements	6.86
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Total expenditures	\$ 273.77
Balance on hand	36.95
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\$ 310.72

Due on books ordered but not yet received, about	28.00
Balance actually to be carried over, about	8.95
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\$ 36.95

Amount in the Dartmouth Savings Bank from the	
O. W. Dimick Fund on January 1, 1923	\$ 270.21
Amount in the Dartmouth Savings Bank from the	
F. W. Davison Fund on January 1, 1923	79.40
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\$ 349.61

Geo. M. Woodwell, Treasurer.

February 1, 1923.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Resources

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year	3,592
Number of bound volumes added by purchase	74
Number of bound volumes added by gift	18
Total	3,684
Number of volumes discarded	22
Total number of volumes owned at end of year	3,662
Number of magazines currently received	3

Service

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of non fiction lent	211	111	322
Number of volumes of fiction lent	3,902	636	4,538
Total circulation for current year	4,113	747	4,860
Number of new borrowers added during the year			5
Number of active borrowers during the year			135
Deposit Stations maintained at Lyme Center and Pond District.			

Julia L. Mayo, Librarian.

LYME SCHOOL REPORT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Lyme qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Church Hall in said district on the 13th day of March 1923, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
7. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of Schools.
8. To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of High School and Academy tuition.
9. To see what compensation the District will allow its Officers the ensuing year.
10. To see what sum of money the District will vote

to raise and appropriate for administration purposes.

11. To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs on School Buildings the ensuing year.

12. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for painting School Buildings.

13. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$290.00 to cover Per Capita Tax.

Given under our hands at said Lyme this sixteenth day of February, 1923.

MARY A. CHASE,
ELMER F. MORRILL,
EMMA S. ALDRICH,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—ATTEST:

MARY A. CHASE,
ELMER F. MORRILL,
EMMA S. ALDRICH,

School Board.

BUDGET AND ESTIMATES OF APPROPRIATION

For year beginning July 1, 1923

Salaries of district officers	\$ 266.00
Superintendent's excess salary	450.00
Other expense of administration	50.00
Teachers' salaries	7,000.00
Textbooks	200.00
Scholars' supplies	200.00
Flags, etc.	10.00
Other expense of administration	50.00
Janitor service	375.00
Fuel	550.00
Janitor supplies	50.00
Minor repairs	250.00
Medical inspection	75.00
Transportation	300.00
High school tuition	1,300.00
Per capita tax	290.00
Special repairs	500.00
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	\$ 11,916.00
To meet the Budget:	
State aid (estimated)	\$ 3,152.10
Dog tax (estimated)	125.00
Local trust funds (estimated)	125.00
To be voted:	
Required for state aid, \$5 on a 1000 of equalized val.	5,657.90
Extra for administration, tuition, per capita tax, special repairs	9,856.00
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	\$ 11,916.00

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922

Receipts

From State:

Equalization (state aid)	\$ 3,804.10
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From Selectmen, raised by taxation:

For support of elementary schools	\$ 5,657.90
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Minor repairs	200.00
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High school tuition	1,000.00
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Salaries of district officers	266.00
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Superintendent's excess salary	266.67
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Per capita tax	294.00
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7,684.57

From sources other than taxation:

Dog licenses (from selectmen)	\$ 216.53
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Elementary school tuition	27.00
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Income from local trust funds	118.54
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362.07

Total receipts from all sources	\$ 11,850.74
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Cash on hand July 1, 1921	257.93
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Grand Total	\$ 12,108.67
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Payments by order of School Board

Administration:

Salaries of district officers	\$ 175.00
Superintendent's excess salary	375.00
Truant officer and school census	17.37
Expense of administration	29.51

\$ 596.88

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries	\$ 7,593.03
Textbooks	181.25
Scholars' supplies	141.61
Other expenses of instruction	15.05

7,930.94

Operation and maintenance of school plant:

Janitor service	\$ 351.18
Fuel	496.13
Janitor supplies	25.04
Minor repairs and expenses	292.12

1,164.47

Auxiliary agencies and special activities:

Medical inspection	\$ 55.50
Transportation of pupils	245.40
High school and academy tuition	1,113.37
Other special activities	8.00

1,422.27

Fixed charges, etc.:

Insurance	\$ 110.00
Per capita tax	294.00

404.00

Total payments for all purposes	\$11,518.56
Cash on hand June 30, 1922	590.11

Grand Total	\$12,108.67
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DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES

Administration

Salaries of district officers:

A. E. Derby	\$ 50.00	
E. F. Morrill	40.00	
D. A. Grant	40.00	
Mary A. Chase	45.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 175.00

Superintendent's excess salary:

A. E. Derby, Treas.	\$ 375.00	
	<hr/>	375.00

Truant officer and school census:

R. E. Lane	\$ 2.37	
Mrs. E. F. Morrill	15.00	
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Expense of administration:

E. F. Morrill	\$ 3.25	
D. A. Grant	9.49	
Mary A. Chase	6.59	
R. E. Lane	.58	
Mrs. L. A. Alden	6.30	
C. W. Cutts	.80	
A. E. Derby	2.50	
	<hr/>	29.51

Instruction

Teachers' salaries:

Carleton E. Pike	\$ 720.00	
Grace M. LaCoss	720.00	
Willard R. Harris	1,000.03	
Laura H. Tenney	777.00	
Marion W. Donahue	740.00	
Alice E. Clark	756.00	
Martha E. Lamphere	756.00	
Harriet A. Balch	756.00	
Grace I. Mardin	720.00	
Charlotte Webb	648.00	
	<hr/>	7,593.03

Textbooks:

American Book Co.	\$ 125.16	
Ginn & Co.	30.00	
Longmans, Green & Co.	20.34	
W. B. Ranney Co.	5.75	
	<hr/>	181.25

Scholars' supplies:

Milton Bradley Co.	\$ 88.22	
E. E. Babb & Co.	31.60	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	20.24	
C. W. Cutts	1.55	
	<hr/>	141.61

Other expenses of instruction:

Dartmouth Press	\$ 5.85	
F. E. West	3.00	
R. E. Lane	3.96	
C. W. Cutts	2.24	
	<hr/>	15.05

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant

Janitor service:

Henry N. Wing	\$ 14.50	
Sylvia J. Wilmot	48.00	
Grace M. LaCoss	36.00	
Carleton E. Pike	18.00	
George Derby	22.98	
Mrs. Henry Bailey	2.00	
Bernice Horton	23.40	
Dennie Smith	42.00	
Mrs. Lucy Webb	34.50	
D. J. Pushee	24.00	
Frank Chesley	5.00	
Charlotte Webb	1.80	
John Grant	37.00	
Annie Chesley	7.00	
Kenneth Follansbee	23.00	
Augusta Pushee	12.00	
	<hr/>	351.18

Fuel:

F. A. Randlett	\$ 138.78	
Sylvia J. Wilmot	3.00	
Arthur Bryant	2.75	
W. C. Neily	56.00	
Burton Elder	160.00	
O. P. Hall	50.00	
Charles Webb	4.00	
Fenton H. Smith	51.00	
Chester A. Stark	3.75	
E. G. Webb	4.00	
Chester Jenks	3.00	
George Derby	.75	
Lewis Warren	6.00	
Frank R. Perkins	5.10	
Kenneth Follansbee	4.00	
Francis Chase	4.00	
	<hr/>	496.13

Janitors' supplies:

F. A. Randlett	\$ 9.00	
George Derby	2.31	
E. B. Palmer	2.16	
F. E. West	11.57	
	<hr/>	25.04

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Myrtle D. Wilmot	\$ 3.00
F. A. Randlett	32.67
Jason Camp	2.00
G. F Kibbling	60.00
F. L. Flynn	6.30
H. H. Hobbs	6.00
Fred B. Hanchett	13.25
Sylvia J. Wilmot	3.00
F. J. Bryant	1.00
Grace M. LaCoss	3.00
George E. Stark	25.00

Elber Wilmot	2.50	
C. E. Perry	1.00	
James I. LaMott	9.26	
R. N. Donahue	3.00	
D. J. Pushee	4.00	
Parker, Young & Co.	18.36	
George Grant	12.00	
Mrs. Fred Hanchett	1.00	
George Derby	1.00	
E. B. Palmer	24.83	
Ruth Jackman	5.10	
Frank T. Gregory	2.38	
H. Guiton	16.00	
C. K. Hosford & Co.	23.15	
John Grant	.50	
F. E. West	7.70	
Arthur E. Derby	5.12	
	<hr/>	292.12

Auxiliary Agencies and Other Special Activities

Medical inspection:

G. W. Weymouth, M. D.	55.50	
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Transportation:

Mrs. Maude Dennis	\$ 77.70	
Leo Wilmot	83.00	
Leon Waterman	64.00	
Rose Jewell (Board)	20.70	
	<hr/>	245.40

High School and Academy tuition:

Kimball Union Academy	\$ 550.00	
St. Johnsbury Academy	35.00	
Tilton Seminary	165.00	
Thetford Academy	20.00	
Bradford Academy	100.00	
Lancaster high school	45.00	

Laconia high school	53.20	
Lebanon high school	145.17	
	<hr/>	1,113.37
Other special activities:		
Leslie Dyke	\$ 4.00	
George E. Stark	4.00	
	<hr/>	8.00

Fixed Charges, etc.

Insurance:		
A. J. Warren	\$110.00	
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Per capita tax:		
John W. Plummer, Treas.	\$ 294.00	
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Total Expenditures	\$11,518.56
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Lyme, N. H., July 1, 1922.

DAVID A. GRANT,
Treasurer.

MARY A. CHASE,
ELMER F. MORRILL,
EMMA S. ALDRICH,
School Board of Lyme.

PAYMENTS FROM JULY 1, 1922 TO JAN. 31, 1923

Salaries of district officers	\$ 138.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	450.00	
School census	16.83	
Expense of administration	2.70	
Teachers' salaries	3,078.48	
Textbooks	96.86	
Scholars' supplies	77.68	
Flags, etc.	7.38	
Other expenses of instruction	26.90	
Janitor service	141.15	
Fuel	114.50	
Janitor supplies	12.56	
Minor repairs	107.21	
Transportation	252.30	
High school tuition	343.50	
Insurance	50.00	
Per capita tax	316.00	
Total payments		\$ 5,232.05

GRADUATES—JUNE, 1922

Plain School:

Hazel Philora Brailey, Mabel Alice Brockway,
*Gladys Luella Dewitt.

Center School:

Della Elizabeth Bryant, Mabel Latona Dimick,
Bernice Hattie Horton.

Whipple School:

Goldia Norma Ackerman, Emery William Ackerman.

Stetson School:

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Alvah William Coburn, Florence Belle DeGoosh.

Pond School:

Augusta Francis Pushee.

Hewes School:

Grace May Warren.

* Graduated June 1921; name omitted from previous list
by mistake.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

For year ending June, 1922

Fall Term

Ina R. Bombard
Alanson W. Grant
Gilbert P. Pike
Eva M. Lewis
Florence E. Dike
Rachel Pike
Meda Roberts
George D. Derby
Mabel L. Dimick
Ellery L. Balch
Evan C. Lamott
Olyph Pushee
Walter Ward
Ethel Temple
Robert Fitzgerald
John Dunbar

Edward Dunbar
Mabel Dunbar
Dennie Smith
Leon Bombard
Annie M. Chesley
Frank A. Chesley
Harold M. Chesley
Ruth L. Chesley
Alvah Coburn
Grace M. Warren
Althea Wardrobe
Howard C. Young
Walter H. Johnson
Daniel C. Davis
Kenneth I. Wilmott
Vivian H. Wilmott

Winter Term

Vera M. Clark
Gilbert P. Pike
Harry A. Small
Edith L. Watson
Ruth Whittlemore
John H. Grant
Eva M. Lewis
Florence E. Dike
Rachel Pike
Harold Webb
Harry Gerry
Catherine Moody
Carolyn Jackman
Hazel Clarke
Della E. Bryant
Beth L. Pushee

Evan C. Lamott
Leon Bombard
Emery Ackerman
Annie M. Chesley
Frank A. Chesley
Harold M. Chesley
Ruth L. Chesley
James V. Perkins
Ruth E. Perkins
Elizabeth M. Hazen
Althea Wardrobe
Howard C. Young
Daniel C. Davis
Viola L. Davis
Stephen H. Mardin
Sylvia J. Wilmott

Spring Term

Ina R. Bombard
Gilbert P. Pike
Harry A. Small
Dorothy B. Avery
Eva M. Lewis
Florence E. Dike
Rachel Pike
Meda Roberts
Harold Webb
Harry Gerry
Amy Coates
Elbridge Pike
Mabel L. Dimick
Della E. Bryant
Beth L. Pushee
Evan C. Lamott
Olyph Pushee
Walter Ward
Augusta Pushee
Leon Bombard
Emery Ackerman

Ira Young
Alice M. Carr
Annie M. Chesley
Frank A. Chesley
Harold M. Chesley
Ruth L. Chesley
Grace M. Warren
Althea Wardrobe
Howard C. Young
Walter H. Johnson
Maurice L. Wilmot
Earl R. Wilmot
Kenneth R. Rennie
Marion E. Hanchett
Pearl L. Hanchett
Daniel C. Davis
Kenneth I. Wilmott
Vivian H. Wilmott
Stephen H. Mardin
Sylvia J. Wilmott
Viola L. Davis

Perfect Attendance for the Year

Gilbert P. Pike
Florence E. Dike
Rachel Pike
Evan C. Lamott
Annie M. Chesley
Frank A. Chesley

Harold M. Chesley
Ruth L. Chesley
Althea Wardrobe
Howard C. Young
Daniel C. Davis

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Board of Lyme:

I submit herewith my third annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

The school report, published at this time of year, covers a part of two years. It could be made a more complete thing, and, consequently, of more value, if it covered just one year and was published as soon after the close of the year in June as possible.* But the custom of publishing a report at this time in connection with the town report is so thoroughly established that a change in this matter is not likely to be acceptable.

The year that closed in June was, in many respects, a very satisfactory year. There had been no serious interruption on account of sickness or weather, and no school had suffered because of a change of teachers during the school year. A good year's work has been done in each school. Eleven were graduated from the eighth grade in June.

Teachers

At the end of the year in June, Miss Alice E. Clarke, who had taught successfully the primary school at the Center for two years, resigned to be married, and Mrs. Tenney, who had taught the Whipple school for the same time, resigned to accept a position in Massachusetts. Miss Donahue of the Pond school accepted a position elsewhere. Mrs. Gilbert was secured as teacher for the Whipple school. The Pond school was closed for the time being as the number of pupils was too small to make a worth-while school. As the schools at the Center were small, they were tried together in one room as one school. While this was caring for the work very satisfactorily with the arrangement under which it was tried, it proved to be impracticable, so Miss

Ruth E. Mumm, who had formerly taught in town, was engaged to take the primary room. In the remaining schools, there has been no change of teachers. In this particular, the town is fortunate. The teacher is by far the most important factor of the school, and a good teacher is worth retaining. A good teacher, furthermore, is worth improving. No teacher remains permanently good unless, by all available means, she is making the most of every opportunity to become better. To this end, teachers' meetings were held regularly through the Fall term, and will be resumed as soon as weather and travel conditions permit. In the meanwhile, occasional letters to the teachers convey suggestions, supplementing school room visitation, that may be helpful.

Finances

The fiscal year closed June 30 with a small balance. The State Department announced last year the amount of State Aid that would be granted this year. This enabled the School Board to determine quite definitely the amount of money needed to be raised by taxation. But on account of closing the Pond school and the consequent saving of expense, the budget reported to the State Department in October did not call for quite as much money as appeared to be available. The state aid will be paid in full, however, less credit due the state on account of any unexpended balance, in accordance with the announcement made last year. Whatever is unexpended at the end of the year will be held to the credit of the state for next year. It can be used for no other purpose, of course, than for the maintenance of elementary schools.

Consolidation

I have made reference to the fact that several of our schools are too small to be of greatest possible efficiency, and in this connection, I have suggested the possibility of consolidation in the interest of efficiency and economy.

There are some serious objections to consolidation, such as the difficulties of transportation, the almost impassable roads at times in winter, the carrying small children long distances and keeping them from home for a long school-day, etc. I do not wish to underestimate these genuine difficulties and serious objections. Yet I am inclined to believe from the experiences of communities where the thing has been tried in a right way, that it can be done here without any great inconvenience to any one, and with very considerable gain in the efficiency of the schools. If all the children could be taken to the two villages, all could be very well cared for in the four rooms by four teachers, and there might very well result from the improved organization very considerable advantage. The \$4,000, or more, which it now costs to maintain the five one-room schools would seem to be more than sufficient to provide adequate transportation. I am suggesting the possibility of such consolidation rather more in detail than at any previous time that it may be more thoroughly considered, and all possible arguments for and against it may be called forth.

I will say in this connection that I have recently made a very careful comparative study of the three types of elementary schools that I have in my supervisory union. They are:

- I. One-grade rooms
- II. Four-grade rooms; for example, those at Lyme Plain and Lyme Center
- III. One-room rural schools.

The study so far has been confined to the sixth, seventh and eighth grades, and tests were given only in Geography, History, Arithmetic and English. The results of this study seem to indicate clearly that the four-grade rooms produce considerably better results in these subjects than either of the other types of school. The one-grade room appears to be least efficient of the three types of organization. I am expecting that further study will confirm the first of these conclusions.

Statistics

The following items from the annual report to the State Department, July 15, 1922, should be of interest:

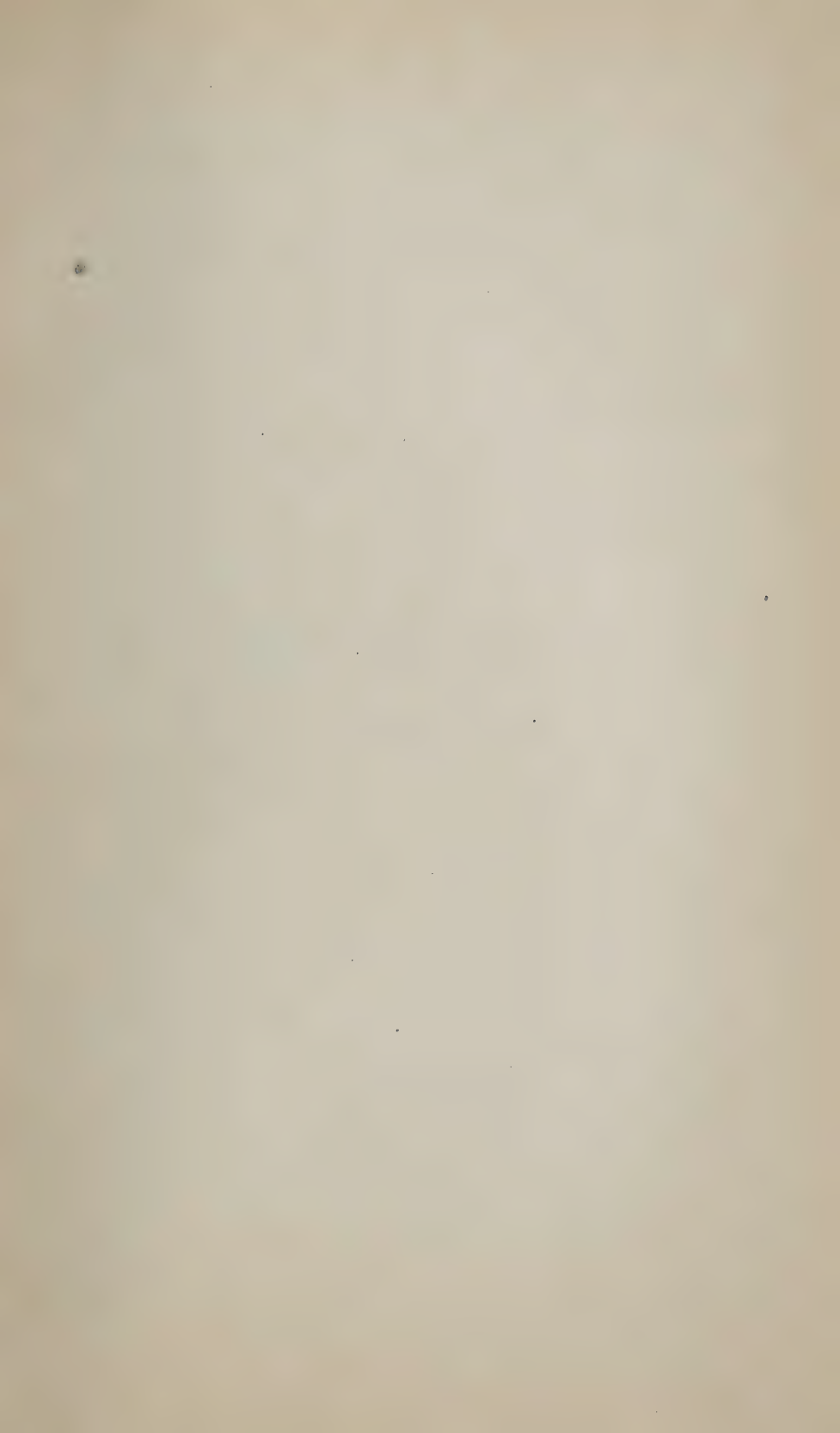
Total number of pupils registered	138
Average attendance	114.2
Average membership	119.63
Per centage of attendance	95.46
Not absent or tardy	15
Number attending high school or academy	20
Number of cases of tardiness	473

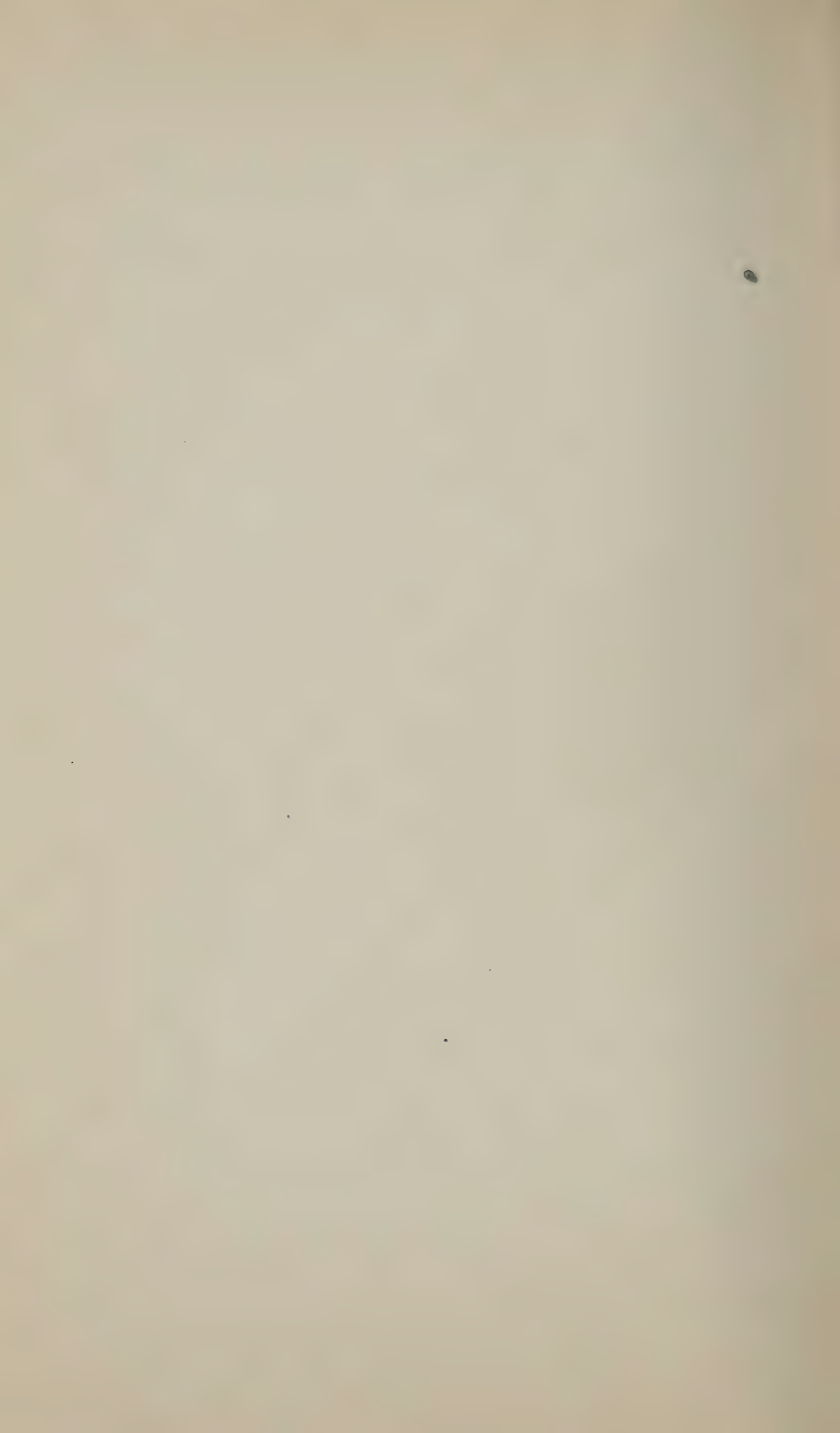
Comparing these with the corresponding figures for the year before, it will be seen that while the total number registered decreased eleven, the average attendance was more than that of the previous year. That is, the attendance was more regular, consequently the per centage of attendance increased more than three per cent. Also the number of cases of tardiness decreased 171. These are marked improvements, and are very gratifying. They are reflected in improved general results.

The work to this time during the present year has been good. The teachers are generally enthusiastic, and the pupils are responsive. I am expecting increasingly better results.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. CUTTS,
Superintendent of Schools.





Vital Statistics
1922

Births Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1922.

Date	Place of Birth	Name of the Child if any	Sex	Living, Stillborn	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father
1921											
Sept. 1	Hanover	Edith	F	L	Frank T. Gregory	Sadie M. Porter	Lyme	Farmer	Grantham	S. Ham, P.Q.	37
Sept. 6	Lyme	Asa Erni	M	L	Homer D. Wilnot	Flora M. Wing	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Lyme Hill, N.B.	23
Jan. 4	Lyme	Jessie Lorraine	F	L	Earl H. Pike	Myrtle L. Coates	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Corn	31
Mar. 4	Lyme	Philip Ashley	M	L	Fred A. Rogers	Doris Cartee	Lyme	Farmer	Thetford, Vt.	Thetford, Vt.	22
May 4	Hanover	George Stanley	M	S	Alexander G. Clark	Harriet R. Houston	Lyme	Farmer	Thetford, Vt.	Stratford, Vt.	36
May 22	Lyme	Beth Gertrude	F	L	Arthur B. Chesley	Gertrude Thompson	Lyme	Farmer	W. Fairlee, V.S.	Ham, P.Q.	32
June 29	Lyme	Freda Raymond	M	L	Freda R. Rice	Laura Simmons	Woodsville	Loco Eng.	Winthrop, N.Y.	Lyme	33
July 4	Lyme	Corinth Leon	M	L	Everett A. S. Hall	Pearl A. Wing	Lyme	Laborer	Winthrop, N.Y.	Orford	32
July 6	Lyme	George Edward	M	L	Jesse G. Gray	Florence Larvey	Lyme	Farmer	Sheffield, Vt.	Craftsbury, Vt.	19
July 8	Lyme	Richard Horace	M	L	Harley Gray	Hattie M. Pike	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Easton	25
July 15	Hanover	Donald James	M	L	Ralph W. Balch	Marjette J. Shalley	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Lyme	30
July 23	Hanover	Jessie George	M	L	George A. Pushee	M. Agnes Gilbert	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Lyme	45
Aug. 23	Lyme	George Barnes	M	L	Thomas D. Coates	Christina F. Nelson	Lyme	Track man	Corn Hill, N.B.	Wakefield	42
Aug. 24	Lyme	George Barnes	M	L	Oscar F. Butman	Nellie Beaton	Lyme	Laborer	Canaan	Nova Scotia	37
Sept. 11	Lyme	Bertha May	F	L	Hervey H. Hobbs	Jessie Waterman	Lyme	Laborer	Wentworth	Thetford, Vt.	35
Sept. 27	Lyme	Vesta May	F	L	Charles A. Thompson	Grace H. Archer	Lyme	Farmer	S. Ham, P.Q.	Colebrook	32
Sept. 27	Hanover	Laurence Malcomb	M	L	Charles Lockwood	Ellen Lamott	Lyme	Laborer	Meriden	Lyme	36
Dec. 21	Lyme				Leon F. Young	Louise Columbia	Lyme	Laborer	Chateaugay, N.Y.	St. Albans, Vt.	30

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief
 DAVID A. GRANT, Town Clerk.

Mariages Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1922.

Date 1922	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Marriage or D.	Name, Residence and official Station of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 25	Lyme	Charles E. Fowler	Lyme	48	Farmer	Newport	David G. Fowler Lucy Patten	Colchester, Vt.	Farmer	2D	Geo. M. Woodwell Clergyman Lyme
Feb. 19	Lyme	Lillian C. Gilbert	Lyme	55	Housewife	Lyme	Thos. W. Roberts Caroline Smith	Croydon Raymond	Deceased	3W	W. J. McNeil Clergyman Oxford
		Alger E. Dennis	Lyme	24	Farmer	Lyme	Geo. W. Dennis Caroline F. Church	Wentworth Stratford	Farmer	11	Housewife
June 3	Lyme	Freda G. Smith	Lyme	17	Housework	Lyme	Ezra M. Smith Bertha M. Flint	Stratford Hanover	Deceased	11	Housewife
		George Thompson	Lyme	26	Laborer	S. Ham, Can.	Jos. G. Thompson Annie M. Devie	S. Ham, Can. Danville, Can.	Farmer	11	Geo. M. Woodwell Clergyman Lyme
June 29	Plainfield	Marjorie Brockway	Lyme	18	Tel. Opr.	Lyme	G. A. Brockway Nellie Dimick	Lyme Iron Hill, Can.	Deceased	11	Deceased
		Harry A. McEwan	Lyme	23	Mechanic	Canada	John McEwan Diantha Rattray	Canada Canada	Housewife	11	F. H. Perkins Clergyman Lyme
Sept. 2	Lyme	Alice E. Clark	Plainfield	28	Teacher	Plainfield	Samuel W. Clark Susan L. Pritchard	Plainfield Green Garden, Ill.	Farmer	11	Housewife
		Alvin A. Wells	Hastings, Fla.	22	Laborer	Hastings, Fla.	Alvin A. Wells May Simms	Moultrie, Fla. Moultrie, Fla.	Deceased	11	Geo. M. Woodwell Clergyman Lyme
Sept. 20	Lyme	Fannie A. Temple	Lyme	19	At Home	Lyme	Leslie J. Temple Amy L. Pushee	Lyme Lyme	Farmer	11	Housewife
		Arthur W. Bryant	Lyme	20	Laborer	Lyme	Fred J. Bryant Florence Henry	Lyme Thetford, Vt.	Farmer	11	F. H. Perkins Clergyman Lyme
Nov. 13	Lyme	Theda M. Sanborn	Lyme	20	At Home	Lyme	Newton Sanborn Eliza E. Welch	Lyme Lyme	Mill Man	11	Housewife
		Geo. W. Allis	Whately, Mas	32	Carpenter	Whately, Mas	Irving Allis Augusta M. Hayes	Whately, Mass Ashfield, Mass	Retired	2W	Geo. M. Woodwell Clergyman Lyme
		Ruth M. Stevens	Lyme	26	House Keeper	Windham, Vt.	Frank A. Stevens Laura P. Albee	Brookline, Vt. Cambridgeport, Vt.	Farmer	11	Deceased

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1922.

Date 1922	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Male or Female	Single, Married or Widowed	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months								
Feb. 16	Lyme	Herbert H. Holt	64	4 19	Lyme	M	M	Farmer	Lyme	Stratford	Isaac P. Holt	Emily Mallard
Feb. 16	St. Johnsbury	Myron A. Dennis	60	4 20	Stratford	M	M		Lyme	Stratford	William Dennis	Lucy Baker
Feb. 17	Westboro, M	Hannah Gardner	75	8 29	Lyme	F	S	Housewife	Lyme		Zachariah Gardner	Mary Robinson
Feb. 25	Haverhill	Ida N. King	63	9 15	Dorchester	F	W		Boston	Dorchester	John Norris	Phebe Jessiman
Feb. 28	Haverhill	Caroline M. Riley	70	11 13	Lyme	F	W		Lyme	Salem, Mass	Elbridge Perkins	Harriet Perkins
Mar. 5	Boston	Jessie L. Pike	56	1	Lyme	F	S	Housewife	Orford	Corn Hill, N.B.	Earl H. Pike	Myrtle L. Coates
Apr. 4	Lyme	Alice J. Marsh	64	17	Isle Lamotte, Vt.	M	F	Farmer	Orford	Center Harbor	Fred B. Palmer	Jennie Beal
Apr. 21	Lyme	Edward Wheeler	84	11 10	Isle Lamotte, Vt.	M	F	Retired	Orford	Isle Lamotte, Vt.	Edward Wheeler	Albina Pike
June 1	Hollis	Katherine Washburn	84	11 10	Lyme	M	S		Orford	Isle Lamotte, Vt.	Jeremiah Oakley	Mary L. Crome
June 8	Orford	Maurice McMann	13	2 29	Lyme	M	S		Groveton	Halifax, N.S.	Henry McMann	Mabel Cutting
June 9	Fairlee, Vt.	Minnie L. Andrews	68	11 25	Lyme	F	W	Housewife	Lyme	Greensboro, Vt.	Sears Cook	Lavinia W. Rand
June 9	Fairlee, Vt.	Nellie Brockway	56	11 25	Iron Hill, P.Q.	F	W	Housewife	Lyme	Cratonsbury, Vt.	Ethan A. Dimick	Rachel Cutting
June 14	Hanover	Edith C. Flinn	72	4 5	Concord, Mass	F	W	Housewife	Lyme		Levi Sanborn	Vance
June 18	Lyme	Mary A. Sanborn	81	6 22	Tretford, Vt.	M	F	Housewife	Lyme		William Moore	Nancy Plant
June 26	Lyme	James LaMott	84	1 6	Brompton, Can.	M	S	Retired	France	Ireland	Adolphus LaMott	Laura S. Simmons
July 15	Fairlee, Vt.	Freda R. Rice	26	6 25	New Bedford, Mass	M	S		Winthrop, N.Y.	Lyme	Freda R. Rice	Annis Hoag
July 15	Hanover	T. F. Cunningham	45	9 22	Lyme	M	F	Printer	England	Lyme	John Cunningham	Julia Gilbert
Aug. 13	Hanover	M. Agnes Pushee	67	6 13	Lyme	F	W	Housewife	Lyme	Benton	Zodak Gilbert	Fannie P. Meade
Aug. 16	Lyme	Ida C. Blood	59	3 17	Lyme	F	D	Housewife	Lyme	Center Harbor	Fred B. Palmer	Jennie Beal
Aug. 28	Hanover	Ada Farnell	59	3 17	Lyme	F	S	Teacher	Orford	Colebrook	J. A. Thompson	Grace Archer
Oct. 27	Hanover	Bertha Thompson	51	9 16	Thietford, Vt.	F	S		Canada	Thietford, Vt.	Geo. E. Wilder	Caroline Barrett
Nov. 15	Lyme	Daisy C. Sanborn	31	5 11		M	F	Farmer	Lyme		Rodney V. Smith	Deborah Clefin
Nov. 16	Wilnot	Amanda Heaton	81	5 11	Lyme	M	W		Lyme	Orford	George Flint	Joanna Newell
Dec. 3	Lyme	Fenton H. Smith	56	7 15	Lyme	M	F		Sheffield, Vt.	Cratonsbury, Vt.	Jesse G. Gray	Florence Larvey
Dec. 8	Lyme	Wealthy A. Balch	87	7 18	Lyme	M	S		Lyme	Orford	George Flint	Joanna Newell
Dec. 15	Lyme	Geo. E. Gray	87	5 7	Lyme	M	F		Ireland	Ireland	Dennis Moran	Elizabeth O'Hara
Dec. 15	Lyme	Caroline L. Flint	78	7 20	Lyme	F	S				Wm. H. Derby	Hannah Avery
Dec. 22	Lyme	D. James Moran	37	9 1	New Haven, Ct	M	M	Laborer				
Dec. 31	Lyme	John H. Derby	90	9 3	Troy, Vt.	M	M	Farmer				

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